

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 19113.0071U2  
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of              | ) |                             |
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| Argraves <i>et al.</i>            | ) | Art Unit: 1647              |
|                                   | ) |                             |
| U.S. Application No. 09/700,455   | ) | Examiner: Wegert, Sandra L. |
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| Filing Date: February 1, 2001     | ) | Confirmation No. 5273       |
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| For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR | ) |                             |
| HDL HOLOPARTICLE UPTAKE           | ) |                             |
| RECEPTOR                          | ) |                             |

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

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| <u>    X    </u>  | One Month    | \$110.00   | (\$ 55.00)*   |
| <u>          </u> | Two Months   | \$420.00   | (\$210.00)*   |
| <u>          </u> | Three Months | \$950.00   | (\$475.00)*   |
| <u>          </u> | Four Months  | \$1,480.00 | (\$740.00)*   |
| <u>          </u> | Five Months  | \$2,010.00 | (\$1,005.00)* |

\* Small Entity

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Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 authorizing payment in the amount of \$440.00 (representing the \$330.00 Notice of Appeal fee and the \$110.00 one-month extension of time fee, to extend the period for response by one month, i.e., to July 26, 2004) is enclosed. No additional fees are believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C.

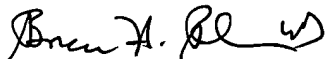


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